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**Bankruptcy Court**

Judge Robert D. Drain

U.S. Bankruptcy Court Case #05-44481

One Bowling Green

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Reference case # 05-44481

As a retired Delphi Salary Employee I strongly object to the recently filed Delphi Modified Plan of Reorganization.

This plan is structured to only benefit a few Delphi Senior Executives, General Motors, the UAW and Platinum Equity. It is totally at the expense of Delphi creditors and the retired salary employees and the American taxpayer. It is also clear that this whole deal is being brokered by the US Treasury, with Tim Geithner.

GM is receiving viable, ongoing revenue producing plants at no cost other than accepting the UAW pension plans.

Delphi Senior Executives will retain their positions and potentially receive either generous retention or severance bonus' from the new owners.

The UAW will continue under the GM umbrella for pensions and benefits which are being financed by the US Government.

Platinum Equity will now own a company with revenue producing operations that have excellent profit potential and they will pay literally nothing for this. Why are they paying more for the Alcoa AFL unit which is much smaller and has far fewer assets?

I firmly believe that this is truly a liquidation of Delphi thinly disguised as an "emergence". Worst of all, the valuable assets of this company are being given away and the only money left for creditors and retirees will be in the disposition of already closed, nonrevenue producing plants (DPH).

Perhaps even more disturbing, is the settlement Delphi is requesting of the PBGC. They have requested that the PBGC drops its right to secured claims and becomes an unsecured claim. This is ludicrous.

These claims should be maintained and provide funds to decrease the underfunded position of Delphi's Salaried Retirement Plan. The court will have to address this issue because I am sure that the PBGC will negotiate away its rights because of its unique position in relationship to the US Treasury Department and Tim Geithner, who is brokering the whole GM/ Delphi Process.

I ask the court to please not accept this modified plan but to send Delphi and its partners- GM, the US Treasury, Platinum and the UAW, back to restructure a deal that is equitable to the salaried retirees and the creditors. I believe that is the responsibility of the court.

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June 5, 2009

The Honorable Barack Obama  
President of the United States  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW  
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Dear Mr. President:

I am writing to express my strong objection to the decision to refer Delphi Corporation's salaried retiree pension plan to the Pension Benefit Guarantee Corporation (PBGC). I am honored to represent thousands of hourly and salaried retirees in the 26th Congressional District in Western New York and in my May 22, 2009 letter to the Task Force, I urged that pension obligations for both hourly and salaried retirees be assumed by GM. I therefore respectfully urge that the Treasury Department's Automotive Task Force demand reconsideration of this decision in advance of the June 10, 2009 U.S. bankruptcy hearing.

As you know, GM spun Delphi off in 1999, and today the company is GM's largest parts supplier. GM has agreed, as part of the restructuring agreement worked out by the Automotive Task Force, to take back five Delphi plants, including Delphi Thermal Systems in Lockport, NY and Delphi Powertrain in Rochester, NY. I believe these are positive steps to set both GM and Delphi on the right course for the future. I am also pleased to see that as part of its restructuring agreement with the Treasury Department, GM will assume the obligations of Delphi's hourly pension plan. This will help strengthen retirement security for thousands of families in my district and give them peace-of-mind during these difficult economic times.

I was dismayed, however, to learn that Delphi's salaried pension obligations will receive entirely different treatment through referral to the PBGC, where pension payments for these workers are liable to be cut drastically, if not eliminated entirely. In the interests of transparency and accountability, I believe the Task Force owes a full explanation of this decision to the workers, retirees and the public, who are now 60 percent owners in the new GM.

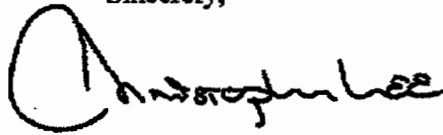
It is fundamentally unfair that two groups of retirees from the same company, who worked side-by-side for many years, and who are faced with the same unfortunate situation, are being treated so differently by the federal government. The 15,000 salaried Delphi retirees, most of whom worked for GM for almost their entire careers, deserve to be treated with fairness and equity during these proceedings. While the restructuring of America's auto industry will require shared sacrifice and responsibility, Delphi's salaried retirees are being forced to bear extra burdens that are not warranted and have not been explained.

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With a 60 percent stake in GM, your Task Force has enormous leverage to demand equitable treatment for hourly and salaried retirees by having GM assume the obligations of both plans. I respectfully urge you and the Automotive Task Force to demand the reconsideration of this decision before the June 10, 2009 U.S. bankruptcy court hearing set to ratify this inequitable agreement.

Thank you for your urgent consideration of this important matter. I look forward to hearing from you. Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of any assistance. Please accept my best regards.

Sincerely,



CHRISTOPHER J. LEE  
Member of Congress

CC: The Honorable Steven Rattner  
Lead Advisor on the Auto Industry  
U.S. Department of Treasury

The Honorable Ron Bloom  
Senior Advisor on the Auto Industry  
U.S. Department of Treasury

Dear Mr. Bloom, Mr. Snowbarger, Mr. Nacy and Honorable Judge Robert D. Drain

When DSRA's Paul Dobosz met with you in Washington as part of the salaried automotive retiree group late in April, you indicated that preservation of pension plans was a high priority for you. You also emphasized that you were looking for reasonable solutions despite a very difficult set of circumstances. I am contacting you today because we have been advised by reliable sources that a decision on the disposition of the Delphi salaried pension plan is imminent and that now is the time to take action if a turnover to the PBGC is to be avoided. Delphi salaried retirees need task force assistance at this time to help avoid this additional blow to a group that is already hurting badly from the loss of health and life insurance benefits. We would propose, as a reasonable solution, best for all involved that GM roll the Delphi Pension fund and Salaried retirees into the GM Salaried retirees Pension fund and program.

**Here is a summary of facts concerning the current situation:**

- The Delphi Salaried Pension Plan is underfunded by approximately \$2 billion which Delphi is unlikely to be able to make up anytime soon.
- Virtually all of the plan's participants worked over 2/3 (25+yrs) of their career as GM salaried employees some spending as little as a few months as Delphi employees prior to retirement.
- The GM salaried pension plan is far better funded than the Delphi plan so folding the Delphi salaried pension plan into GM's plan is a reasonable move from both a financial and ethical standpoint.

**We believe that what we propose is in the best interest of all stakeholders in the GM/Delphi restructuring process for the following reasons:**

- Delphi salaried retirees have already suffered disproportionate losses with respect to their auto industry peers and should at least have their pensions preserved.
- Delphi cannot emerge from Chapter 11 without resolving the salaried pension issue therefore they must either turn pensions over to PBGC or return them to GM from where the original liability came.
- PBGC currently holds liens on many assets that Delphi needs to sell to emerge from Chapter 11. This action would clear those liens enabling Delphi to proceed with its reorganization.
- GM currently intends to purchase several of the Delphi assets with PBGC liens. This action would also allow those acquisitions to proceed unimpeded.
- PBGC will avoid the assumption of another large underfunded pension plan.
- The US Treasury will collect additional taxes on the increased pension amounts paid to retirees over the lifetime of the annuities.

In closing, I ask you to use your considerable influence in the restructuring process to achieve the transfer of the Delphi Salaried pension plan back to GM from where it originated. GM has played a significant role in Delphi's salaried retirees' current troubled situation starting with the Separation Agreement, imposing their handpicked management team, and saddling Delphi with non competitive supply contracts. I hope you will recognize that the deck was stacked against Delphi's salaried retirees at the spinoff and do what is both reasonable and right.

Sincerely,

Delphi Salaried Retiree Association